

# AEROSPACE UPDATE



February 2015

## Proceedings from the Georgia Space Leadership Summit



The Georgia Space Leadership Summit on July 29, 2014 brought together aerospace leaders from across the state to develop a long range plan that builds on Georgia's strengths in military and civil aerospace, and excellent aerospace education infrastructure, to take advantage of emerging opportunities in

the global space industry to expand the space industry within the state of Georgia..

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## Four Key Predictions for Aerospace in 2015



Center of Innovation for Aerospace Director, Steve Justice, highlights four key predictions for the aerospace industry in 2015.

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## Upcoming Events



### 5th Annual Aerospace Legislative Breakfast

The Aerospace Legislative Breakfast will be in Atlanta on March 3, 2015.

This year's theme is "New Frontiers for Georgia's Aerospace Industry".

For more information, contact the

Georgia Aerospace Policy Working Group co-chairs, Don Mitchell ([DMITCHELL@sgrlaw.com](mailto:DMITCHELL@sgrlaw.com)) and Greg Huseth ([greg.huseth@mindspring.com](mailto:greg.huseth@mindspring.com)).



### 2015 Go Global Reception

Georgia will welcome its representatives from 11 strategic global markets at the

Go Global Reception on March 2, 2015 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. at the Georgia Tech Hotel and Conference Center. Additionally, Georgia companies will be presented with the second annual

## Aerospace Events

February 17

### AIAA Atlanta Meeting

Atlanta, GA

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February 19

### Atlanta Aero Club Meeting

Atlanta, GA

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February 22-28

### National Engineers Week

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February 25-27

### Georgia Airports Association Spring Workshop

Atlanta, GA

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February 27

### UAS Working Group Meeting

Atlanta, GA

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February 27-March 1

### Southern Classic Robotics Competition

Perry, GA

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March 2

### 2015 Go Global Reception

Atlanta, GA

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March 3

GLOBE Award, recognizing their entry into a new international market in 2014. Register at [Georgia.org/GoGlobal](http://Georgia.org/GoGlobal). (Priya Verma, [pverma@georgia.org](mailto:pverma@georgia.org))

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## National Engineers Week

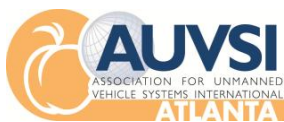
From February 22-28, our nation celebrates "Engineers Week," highlighting the remarkable ways that engineers affect our lives. This year's theme, "Engineering New Horizons," brings together 70 engineering, education, and cultural societies, and more than 50 corporations and government agencies.

From developing cutting edge technologies, new aircraft and space vehicles, to fabricating components and systems exported throughout the world, to maintaining a dynamic air transportation system and our military aircraft fleet, to helping young people discover the wonders of flight, to educating the public about the value of aerospace to our state - each of you make a difference - and for that, we applaud you!

Also, Georgia Engineering Foundation is offering a scholarship with awards ranging from \$1,000-5,000. For more information, visit their website at <http://www.gefinc.org/>

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## AUVSI Unmanned Systems in Precision Agriculture Conference



The Unmanned Systems in Precision Agriculture Conference 2015, is an event showcased by the Atlanta Chapter of the Association for Unmanned Vehicle Systems

International (AUVSI). The conference is in the heart of Georgia's agriculture industry located at the University of Georgia's Tifton Campus Conference Center and will be held March 17-18, 2015.

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## Dixie Crow Symposium 40



"The Power of EW & ISR for Sustained Air Supremacy"

March 22-26, 2015  
Museum of Aviation  
Robins AFB, Georgia

Technical Program and Short Courses sponsored by The Dixie Crow Chapter of the Association of Old Crows.

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**Make A Difference**

**Southern Classic Robotics Competition, a**

## Aerospace Legislative Breakfast

Atlanta, GA

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**March 5**

## Space Working Group Meeting

Atlanta, GA

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**March 17-18**

## AUVSI Unmanned Systems in Precision Agriculture Conference

Tifton, GA

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**March 22-26**

## Dixie Crow Symposium 40

Robins AFB, GA

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**March 25**

## Crow's N.E.S.T.

Warner Robins, GA

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**April 17-18**

## WWII Heritage Days

Peachtree City, GA

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**May 4-6**

## Atlanta Aerotropolis Alliance - SMART Airports & Regions 2015 Conference

Atlanta, GA

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**May 4-7**

## AUVSI Unmanned Systems Conference & Trade Show

Atlanta, GA

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**May 8**

## Georgia STEM Day

[More Info](#)

## GeorgiaFIRST Event

**Location: Perry, GA**

**February 27-March 1, 2015**

STEM Education is the key to moving our economy forward. GeorgiaFIRST is an organization advancing this effort across the state of Georgia. They engage kids in the creative 'hands-on, minds-on' process of technological innovation, and their goal is to get kids excited about science and technology. Come out and watch this group of talented young people!

*GeorgiaFIRST is in need of volunteers, sponsors, and especially judges for this event! If you are interested in participating or sponsoring this event, contact [Connie Haynes](#), Executive Director of GeorgiaFIRST.*

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## Crow's N.E.S.T. (Novel Experiments with Science & Technology)

**Location: Warner Robins, GA**

**March 25, 2015**

The Dixie Crow Chapter of the Association of Old Crows Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) Robotics displays and technology demonstrations, are an interactive experience that will capture the minds and hearts of students, parents, and teachers.

*They are looking for Academia, Industry, Government/Military and other Organizations to display their creative robotic talents and/or interactive technological products to inspire students to pursue STEM careers! Crow's N.E.S.T. Sponsorship Available: \$5000 (Willing to share sponsorship with multiple partners).*

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## World War II Heritage Days

**Location: Peachtree City, GA**

**April 17-18, 2015**

The WWII Heritage Days presented by the Dixie Wing of the Commemorative Air Force (CAF) is held in Peachtree City each year to educate the public about the sacrifices of "the greatest generation" during World War Two. The exhibits include WWII era military aircraft, vehicles, armament and demonstrations by the participating groups throughout the event. *The CAF is currently looking for sponsors; for more information, visit their [website](#) or contact CAF Dixie Wing Marketing Director Jay Bess ([jaybess@bellsouth.net](mailto:jaybess@bellsouth.net), 770-335-9835).*

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**International Trade Opportunity**

**May 19-21**

## Trade Mission to EBACE

Geneva, Switzerland

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## 2015 Georgia Air Shows

Mark your calendar to check out some of these amazing air shows in Georgia!

Send news or event info to: [ahudnall@georgia.org](mailto:ahudnall@georgia.org)



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## Trade Mission to 2015 EBACE

May 19-21, 2015

Location: Geneva, Switzerland

Cost: \$500

**Deadline: January 31, 2015**

EBACE is the only major European event focused solely on business aviation, with attendees and exhibitors from around the world. Participating companies will meet key contacts and leverage trade opportunities. Customized, pre-qualified, one-on-one appointments can help accelerate success in this market of 27 countries. To register or for questions: Taube Ponce, Senior International Trade Manager, 404-962-4118 or [tponce@georgia.org](mailto:tponce@georgia.org)

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